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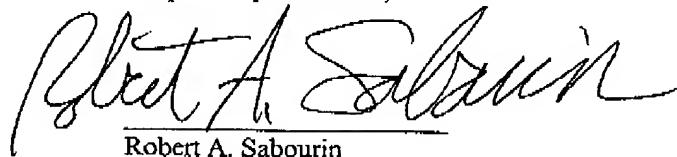
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Dear Ms. Faison-Ball:

This letter is in response to the Decision Refusing Status mailed July 27, 2004. After speaking with you on the telephone yesterday, it was agreed that the Declaration and Power executed on March 29, 2004 by applicant's patent attorney, Robert A. Sabourin, meets the provisions of MPEP 409.03(b). Specifically, the third line of the Declaration provides authorization to sign as a registered patent attorney on behalf of the corporation, AGFA-GEVAERT.

Although no fees are believed to be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized under this general authorization to debit any fees to Deposit Account No. 501490.

Respectfully submitted,

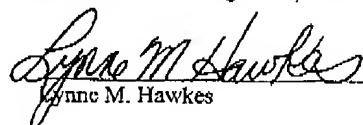


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FACSIMILE CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Atty. Patricia Faison-Ball in the Office of Petitions at 703-872-9306 at the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 12, 2004.


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